Mountain Weather Forecast

Yorkshire Dales National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 30 Mar 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 31 Mar 2023

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 29 Mar 2023 at 13:40

Confidence: Medium for details throughout.

Headline for Thursday 30 Mar 2023: Cloudy with mist and drizzle at first. Skies brightening with the chance of showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 30 Mar 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Drizzle	Mist	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
50%	50%	60%	50%	40%	30%	30%	20%

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Weather: Cloudy overnight and during the early morning with occasional rain, drizzle and mist. Skies then brightening and cloud lifting and breaking above the tops, although the odd heavy shower is possible. Mainly dry in the evening with patchy cloud cover.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30% overnight and early morning, becoming 80% in the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive, base 300 to 600m at first, lifting and breaking above the summits in the afternoon. Visibility moderate to very poor at first, becoming mainly good or very good in the afternoon, except in showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/20 SW	13/19 SW	13/18 SW	17/25 SW	20/30 SW	19/28 SW	15/23 SW	11/17 S	11/17 SE
300	7/17 SW	9/18 W	9/18 SW	11/21 SW	14/27 SW	13/26 SW	9/19 SW	4/12 S	6/16 SE
Valley	6/15 SW	7/14 SW	8/17 SW	10/20 SW	12/25 SW	12/24 SW	8/18 SW	6/15 SE	9/19 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/3	6/2	6/2	6/1	7/2	7/3	7/3	6/3	5/2
300	8/7	8/6	7/5	7/4	9/6	9/6	9/7	7/6	7/5
Valley	9/8	8/7	8/6	8/6	10/8	11/8	10/8	9/8	8/6
Freezing Level*	1600m	1600m	1500m	1400m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1500m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Recent rainfall: measured at Malham: altitude 375m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Wed 29 Mar 2023	3.8mm	9.2mm	9.2mm

Forecast for Friday 31 Mar 2023
Weather: Cloudy and overcast with outbreaks of rain and drizzle.

Maximum wind: Northeast 20mph gusting 30mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40%

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud, base 300 to 600m. Visibility moderate to very poor, occasionally good lower down.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius rising to 11 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 3 to 6 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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